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In re Application of:)	
) RADIATOR WITH SIDE FLAT	TUBES
RALF BECK et al)	
) Group Art Unit 3743	
Serial No. 10/658,972)	
) Examiner Tho V. Duong	
Filed September 10, 2003)	

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the June 10, 2004 Office Action, Applicants elect the species of Fig. 1, and further elect the subspecies of Figs. 6a-6b.

37 CFR 1.8 CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Claims 1-19 are all submitted to cover the Fig.1 species, with claims 1-14 and 17-19 being generic to both Figs. 1 and 2, and claims 15-16 being specific to the Fig. 1 species. Claims 1-7 and 9-19 are also submitted to cover the Figs. 6a-6b subspecies, with only claim 8 relating to a non-elected subspecies. Moreover, only claim 5 of claims 1-7 and 9-19 are believed to be specific to the Figs. 6a-6b subspecies (with claim 7 also being generic to both the 6a-6b and 5a-5c subspecies).

In view of the above, Applicants submit that claims 1-7 and 9-19 relate to the elected species, namely the Fig. 1 species and the Figs. 6a-6b subspecies.

Respectfully submitted,

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